

**THE STATE CORPORATION COMMISSION
OF THE STATE OF KANSAS**

Before Commissioners: Pat Apple, Chairman
Shari Feist Albrecht
Jay Scott Emler

In the matter of the application of Weinkauf)	Docket No.: 17-CONS-3693-CEXC
Petroleum, Inc. for an exception to the 10-)	
year time limitation of K.A.R. 82-3-111 for its)	CONSERVATION DIVISION
Rexroad #1 well located in the SE/4 of)	
Section 34, Township 33 South, Range 29)	License No.: 30902
West, Meade County, Kansas.)	

**MOTION FOR THE DESIGNATION OF A PREHEARING OFFICER AND THE
SCHEDULING OF A PREHEARING CONFERENCE**

The Staff of the State Corporation Commission of the State of Kansas (“Staff” and “Commission,” respectively) files this Motion seeking the designation of a prehearing officer and scheduling a prehearing conference in this matter. In support of its motion, Staff states as follows:

I. Background

1. On June 23, 2017, Operator filed an application for an exception to the 10-year time limitation of K.A.R. 82-3-111 for its Rexroad #1 well.

2. On July 5, 2017, Operator provided an affidavit of publication of notice in the Wichita Eagle, and on July 11, 2017, Operator provided an affidavit of publication of notice in the Meade County News.

II. Argument

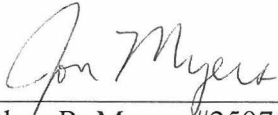
3. Operator’s application states that the subject well passed a Staff-witnessed mechanical integrity test on June 2, 2017, but this is not accurate. On August 23, 2017, Staff sent a letter to Operator, requesting a successful, Staff-witnessed casing integrity test be conducted by September 15, 2017, but to date such a test has not been conducted.

III. Conclusion

4. Based upon the above, Staff does not recommend approval of Operator's application at this time, and believes it would be appropriate for this matter to be set for an evidentiary hearing.

WHEREFORE, for the reasons described above, Staff respectfully requests an Order designating a prehearing officer and scheduling a prehearing conference, in anticipation of an evidentiary hearing where Staff may recommend denial of the application.

Respectfully submitted,

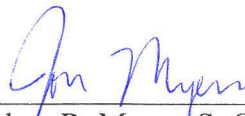


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VERIFICATION

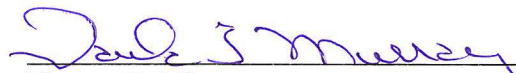
STATE OF KANSAS)
) ss.
COUNTY OF SEDGWICK)

Jonathan R. Myers, of lawful age, being duly sworn upon his oath deposes and states that he is Litigation Counsel for the State Corporation Commission of the State of Kansas; that he has read and is familiar with the foregoing *Motion*, and attests that the statements therein are true to the best of his knowledge, information and belief.



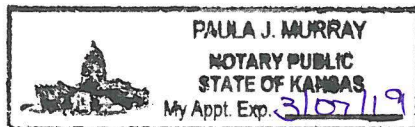
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SUBSCRIBED AND SWORN to before me this 2nd day of Oct, 2017.



Notary Public

My Appointment Expires: 3/07/19



CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I certify that on 10/2/17, I caused a complete and accurate copy of this Motion to be served via United States mail, with the postage prepaid and properly addressed to the following:

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